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Executive Office

James B. Giottonini Executive Director San Joaquin Area Flood Control Agency 22 East Weber Avenue, Suite 301 Stockton, CA 95202-2317

Dear Mr. Giottonini:

Section 1002 of the Water Resources Reform Development Act (WRRDA) allows for greater transparency in the notification and reporting of feasibility study milestones. WRRDA Section 1002 requires the U.S. Army Corps of Engineers District Engineer to provide non-Federal interests a notification of feasibility study milestone schedules for all active studies that received Investigation appropriations since October 1, 2009 until June 10, 2014. Studies initiated after June 10, 2014 also require notification of five key milestones within 90 days of signing the Feasibility Cost Sharing Agreement.

This certified letter provides the current study schedule of the following five key milestones associated with the Lower San Joaquin River Feasibility Study.

- Release of the Draft Feasibility Report for Public Comment and Concurrent Review (CW250) - Completed
- District Submittal of the Final Feasibility Report November 17, 2015
- MSC Transmittal of the Final Feasibility Report December 1, 2015
- Civil Works Review Board February 11, 2016
- Signed Chief's Report June 1, 2016

Schedules are based on the assumption of full-funding (Federal and non-Federal) over the course of the study. Up-to-date study schedules will be posted and available to the public on spk.usace.army.mil website. All schedules and missed deadlines will also be submitted in an annual report to Congress. If you have any questions, feel free to contact Mr. Bryon Lake, Project Manager at 916-557-7890.

Sincerely,

Michael J. Farrell Colonel, U.S. Army District Commander